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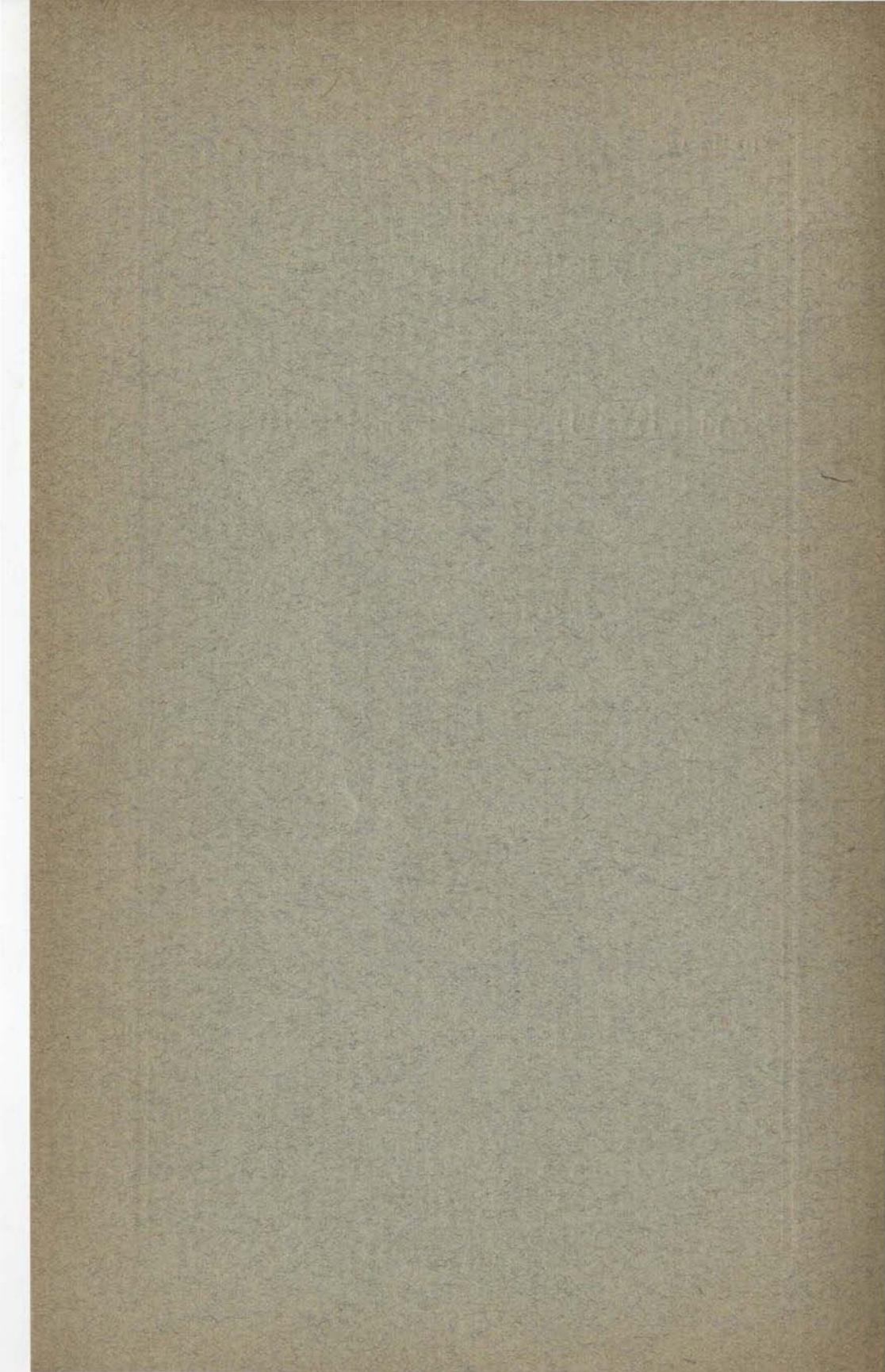
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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE STATE EXAMINERS OF ELECTRICIANS.

To His Excellency the Governor and to the General Court of Massachusetts.

The State Examiners of Electricians respectfully submit their annual report for the year ending Nov. 30, 1918.

During the past year the membership of the State Examiners of Electricians has been changed by the death of John A. O'Keefe, Fire Prevention Commissioner for the Metropolitan District, and by virtue of that position one of the State Examiners of Electricians. His place was taken by his successor as Fire Prevention Commissioner, Frank Lewis.

Mr. O'Keefe was chairman of the Board. Commissioner Curtiss was elected to succeed him as chairman.

From the first day of December, 1917, to the thirtieth day of November, 1918, applicants were examined, and were passed or rejected, as is shown in the following table: —

Result of Examinations held from Dec. 1, 1917, to Nov. 30, 1918.

EXAMINATIONS.	Examined.	Passed.	Failed.
Boston, January 2,	82	36	46
Springfield, January 12,	18	5	13
Boston, February 6,	103	45	58
Newburyport, March 9,	9	5	4
Pittsfield, March 16,	14	7	7
Boston, April 3,	103	43	60
Lowell, April 13,	21	8	13
Springfield, May 4,	23	13	10
Fall River, May 11,	21	9	12
Boston, June 5,	90	33	57
Boston, July 12,	100	41	59
Worcester, July 20,	22	10	12
Boston, September 4,	67	20	47
Springfield, September 14,	29	9	20
Pittsfield, October 19,	7	2	5
Lowell, October 26,	15	5	10
Boston, November 6,	55	19	36
Fall River, November 16,	17	6	11
Total for fiscal year,	796	316	480

EXAMINATIONS FOR 1919.

Examinations will be held at the following points and on the following dates:—

Boston,	Wednesday, January 8.
Springfield,	Saturday, January 18.
Boston,	Wednesday, February 5.
Worcester,	Saturday, March 8.
Pittsfield,	Saturday, March 15.
Boston,	Wednesday, April 2.
Lowell,	Saturday, April 12.
Springfield,	Saturday, May 3.
Fall River,	Saturday, May 10.
Boston,	Wednesday, June 4.
Boston,	Friday, July 11.
Worcester,	Saturday, July 19.
Boston,	Wednesday, September 3.

Springfield,	Saturday, September 13.
Pittsfield,	Saturday, October 18.
Lowell,	Saturday, October 25.
Boston,	Wednesday, November 12.
Worcester,	Saturday, November 22.
Boston,	Wednesday, December 3.
Fall River,	Saturday, December 13.

RULES FOR EXAMINATIONS.

Applicants for Class B, or journeyman's certificate, must be at least eighteen years of age.

Examinations shall consist of applicant's knowledge of the National Electrical Code and practical electrical work.

Applicants for certificates must receive 70 per cent. on examination to qualify.

All persons desiring to be examined, either for a master or journeyman certificate, shall have application on file at least ten days previous to the date of such examination.

Any person failing to qualify in an examination shall not be entitled to re-examination until a period of three months has elapsed.

Notice will be sent to applicants for certificates when and where examination will be held, and only those so notified will be examined on that day.

ELMER L. CURTISS,

PAYSON SMITH,

FRANK LEWIS,

State Examiners of Electricians.

For application blanks or other information apply to State Examiners of Electricians, Room 372, State House, Boston, Mass.

Certificates issued Dec. 1, 1917, to Nov. 30, 1918.

Masters (Class A),	25
Journeyman (Class B),	367

Certificates renewed Aug. 1, 1918.

Masters (Class A),	638
Journeyman (Class B),	7,610

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES.

The following table shows receipts and expenditures of the State Examiners of Electricians from Dec. 1, 1917, to Nov. 30, 1918: —

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Receipts.

Fees from applicants,	\$14,691 50
Interest on bank deposits,	10 34
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Total paid to Treasurer of Commonwealth,	\$14,701 84

Expenditures.

Salaries,	\$3,290 00
Additional clerical assistance,	506 44
Printing,	774 13
Office supplies, etc.,	337 61
Machines,	105 53
Postage,	857 70
Expenses in connection with examinations,	560 53
Travel,	439 20
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Total,	\$6,871 14

RECOMMENDATION.

The State Examiners of Electricians respectfully make the following recommendation:—

That legislation be enacted which shall enable them to destroy examination papers after they have been preserved for three years.

Respectfully submitted,

ELMER L. CURTISS, *Chairman,*
Chairman, Civil Service Commission.

PAYSON SMITH,
Commissioner of Education.

FRANK LEWIS,
Fire Prevention Commissioner for the Metropolitan District.

BOSTON, Dec. 24, 1918.

